

PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No: 15184.2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Baird et al.)
) Art Unit
Serial No.:	09/875,444) 2166
)
Filed:	June 6, 2001)
)
Title:	METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR)
	USER ACTIVATED AUTOMATED)
	SEARCHING)
)
Confirmation No.:	5041)
)
Examiner:	Isaac M. Woo)
)
Customer No.:	022,913)

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.97

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Dear Sir:

Please find, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (a) (1), enclosed Form PTO-1449 that contains a list of all patents, publications, or other items that have come to the attention of one or more of the individuals designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 (c). While no representation is made that any of these references may be "prior art" within the meaning of that term under 37 C.F.R. §§ 102 or 103, the enclosed list of references is disclosed to fully comply with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

Appl. No. : 09/875,444
Filed : June 6, 2001

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 (g) and (h), Applicant makes no representation that a search has been made or that the information cited is considered to be material to patentability. Additionally, Applicant makes no representation regarding the completeness of this list nor represents that other art does not exist.

Applicant has listed publication dates on the attached Form PTO-1449 based on information that is presently available to the undersigned attorney of record. The listed publication dates, however, should not be construed as an admission that the references were actually published on the dates indicated and Applicant reserves the right to establish that the actual publication dates of any of these references.

Applicant also reserves the right to establish patentability of the claimed invention over any of the listed references, and/or to prove that any of the listed references are not prior art, and/or to prove that any of the listed references do not enable or otherwise teach, suggest or disclose the claimed invention.

In accordance with United States Patent and Trademark Office OG Notice dated August 5, 2003, which waived the requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (a) (2) (i) for submitting a copy of each cited U.S. patent and each U.S. patent application publication for all U.S. national patent applications filed after June 30, 2003, a copy of listed U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications is not enclosed. A copy of listed foreign patent documents and non-patent literature or relevant portion thereof is enclosed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (a) (2).

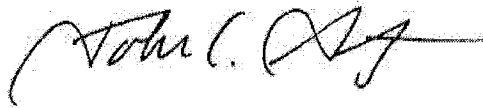
Appl. No. : 09/875,444
Filed : June 6, 2001

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (c), all English translations within the possession, custody, control or availability of anyone designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 (c) of each non-English reference, if any, are also enclosed.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 23-3178 in connection with filing this document and any other documents filed herewith.

DATED this 14th day of May 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John C. Stringham", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

JOHN C. STRINGHAM
Attorney for Applicant
Registration No. 40,831

CUSTOMER NO.: 022,913